

ings blown up, because we want to live in them after we have possessed them. We would like them to blow the heads off the people in those buildings."

Johnson Questions Radicals.
"You've got us in jail now," he told the Representatives, "but our time is coming and then God help us." Representative Johnson, who is chairman of the committee, has been in the vicinity of Centralia, Wash., where he published *The Home Defender*, an anti-radical paper, and he questioned many of the radicals. A Chicago man told him that when the Communists rule there will be no prisons in this country. At an informal hearing in the immigration building the committee had many queries to Mr. Uhl concerning the procedure by which so many aliens have been escaping deportation, and were informed that Congress was largely to blame because of its failure to make proper appropriations for perfecting the working branches of the Departments of Immigration and Labor.

While the procedure of ejecting undesirable aliens has been slow and ineffectual, Mr. Uhl told the investigators, the laws and regulations made to keep others out have been functioning very poorly, with the result that while only sixty Reds have been deported to date out of 497 seized since February 7, 1917, others have been entering the country in great numbers. Mr. Uhl said that approximately 800 aliens are admitted daily through the bureau at Ellis Island, an increase of 300 a day over last June. The Departments of Labor and Immigration, he said, are unable to give most of these people more than a perfunctory sort of examination aboard ship, after which they are lost sight of completely.

He said that while Frederick C. Howe was Commissioner of Immigration here, he released on bond and on parole a great number of persons who were classified as illiterate or mentally deficient, and that the greater number of these had never returned to report to the authorities. These releases, he said, were made in compliance with rules of the Department of Labor.

No Individuals Blamed.
Mr. Uhl was inclined to place the blame for all this on no individual but on the fact that the departments whose business it is to keep out dangerous and undesirable aliens have neither the staff nor the appropriations necessary to effectively carry on their work. Asked why the laws had not been literally enforced, he told the committee it would have to go back to Washington for the answer.

Chairman Johnson was greatly interested in Mr. Uhl's statements and said that the committee undoubtedly will urge the House to pass a bill requiring all aliens to register with the Federal authorities and to report at certain periods in order that some check may be kept upon them.

The physical examinations, Mr. Uhl said, are made on the whole male plan; the immigrants being walked along runways like sheep while a staff of physicians examine them for various contagious diseases as they pass.

The members of the committee made arrangements to accompany the immigration officials aboard a number of incoming vessels to-day for the purpose of watching the manner in which the aliens are examined.

In the course of their raid upon the branch headquarters of the Communists yesterday the police seized a red banner which was said to be the flag of the Trotsky-Lenin government, a box full of lapel buttons bearing pictures of this banner and quantities of literature. They questioned more than fifty "reds" they found on the premises, but each one denied membership in the Communist party.

HINDENBURG WILL NOT BE RECALLED
He and Ludendorff Released by War Inquiries.

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg and Gen. Ludendorff will not be again summoned to give testimony before the sub-committee of the National Assembly investigating war responsibility, according to a semi-official statement. It is believed they would be unable to amplify the evidence they have already presented.

So great has been the dissatisfaction expressed by a part of the German press over the result of the sub-committee's investigation that the official *Politikalisches Nachrichten* feels constrained to issue the following statement:

"An attempt has been made to label the decision of the commission releasing Field Marshal von Hindenburg and Gen. Ludendorff from giving further testimony as a 'flight from truth.' Such an undertaking is foolish as it is without grounds. It has been established that the two Generals can say nothing new about President Wilson's peace actions. It is difficult to assume that their testimony could influence the investigation."

"The commission's decision does not mean that von Hindenburg and Ludendorff, perhaps earlier than expected, may not again be invited to appear before a committee. This is more probable since many experts from the General Staff have emphatically requested that they wish to testify against them."

The belief here appears to be general that the sub-committee's investigations have only harmed Germany abroad without revealing anything new.

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DENIKINE SMASHES 50,000 RED TROOPS

General Reports Crushing Defeat of Foe Between Oral and Tambov.

NEWS VIA HELSINGFORS

Previous Advices Had Said Russian Commander Was on Defensive.

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 22.—Gen. Denikine, commander of anti-Bolshevik troops on the southern Russian front, claims to have broken through the Red lines between Oral and Tambov, southeast of Moscow, and to have annihilated 50,000 Bolshevik troops, according to a Helsinki dispatch to the *Svenska Dagbladet*.

Reports received recently from the southern Russian front have appeared to indicate that Gen. Denikine was being driven southward by the Bolsheviks. Gen. Denikine reached Oral about a month ago, but there encountered such strong resistance that he was forced to resort to the defensive. Bolshevik official statements received later told of a break in the Denikine line to the southwest of Oral. Tambov is about 400 miles southeast of Moscow.

YUDENITCH REACHES REVAL WITH STAFF

Desertion of 20,000 of His Men Is Denied.

By JOHN POLOK.
Special Cable Despatch to The Sun from the London Times Service.

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HELSINGFORS, Nov. 22.—Anti-British circles here utilize Premier Lloyd George's recent statement about Russia to suggest that the Entente has fallen to pieces and that England wishes to see Russia dismembered. They advocate the favorite pro-German scheme of an alliance between France, Germany and Russia.

The enemy is reported to have heavily attacked the Estonians at Orla, northeast of Narva on the River Luga and the Russians in the Yamburg sector with artillery and armored cars. Despite official statements to the effect that all the attacks were beaten off I am credibly informed that about half the northwestern army by last evening had retreated and crossed the Estonian boundary. There is not a word of truth in the statement telegraphed from Dorpat that 30,000 of Gen. Yudenitch's men have gone over to the Bolsheviks.

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 22.—Gen. Nicholas Yudenitch, the anti-Bolshevik commander on the northwest Russian front, has arrived at Reval, capital of Estonia, with his staff, according to a dispatch to the *Svenska Dagbladet*.

Despatches from Reval under date of November 16 reported the forces of Gen. Yudenitch to be crowded together in a small space near Yamburg, sixty-eight miles southwest of Petrograd, in a serious state of disorganization. The despatch said that answer to an inquiry of Gen. Yudenitch as to what Estonia would do if he were obliged to cross the Estonian frontier the Estonian authorities told him he could bring his

LETTS ARMY TAKES COURTLAND CAPITAL

Gen. von Eberhardt Asks Conquerors for a Truce.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Letts forces yesterday captured Mitau, capital of Courland, according to the Lettsian legation here. The Letts continued their victorious advance.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 22.—Gen. von Eberhardt, who has assumed command of the West Russian army, has asked the Lettsian commander in chief to accept a truce pending the conclusion of an armistice, according to a Riga despatch under Friday's date. Gen. von Eberhardt's telegram declares the West Russian army has placed itself under German protection. It is said, "The truce would become effective at midnight next Wednesday."

No reply has been sent by the commander of the Lettsian troops, who, however, points out that Gen. von Eberhardt's action makes the aggressive campaign of Col. Avaloff-Bermondit against Riga a German affair, according to the despatch.

Mitau was the headquarters of Gen. von Eberhardt, who was sent by the German Government to relieve Col. Avaloff-Bermondit of command of the German Baltic forces and supervise their orderly return to Germany. The Letts were reported in a Copenhagen despatch of November 15 to be encircling the town.

Advices from Berlin under date of November 16 stated that the International Commission was arranging with the Letts and Lithuanians to permit of the withdrawal of the German troops without interference.

HUGE DEFICIT IN AUSTRIA.

Conditions Critical at Close of First Year of Republic.

By the Associated Press.
VIENNA, Nov. 21 (delayed).—The first year of the new Austrian republic has closed with a deficit of 13,000,000,000 crowns.

Critical conditions have been caused in this city by the non-arrival of coal from Czechoslovakia and Poland. Electric plants have discontinued service and all industrial plants and power houses are burning tan bark to keep their boilers warm.

Unless expected trains of grain arrive, it is announced that bread and flour rations will be reduced by one-half next week, making an individual's ration a pound and a half of bread and five ounces of flour. Tyrol reports that no breadstuffs have arrived in eight days and that rations have been suspended. Dollar exchange to-day was at the rate of 128 crowns.

GERMAN DELEGATES SAIL.

Leave Sweden to Attend Labor Conference in United States.

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—The German delegation to the International Labor Conference at Washington sailed yesterday from Gothenburg, Sweden, for the United States. The delegation is headed by August Mueller, member of the Food Regulation Board.

A despatch from Gothenburg, Sweden, under date of November 18, reported that the German delegation to the Washington conference had abandoned its trip on the eve of sailing, as the German Government considered the journey useless in view of the impending close of the conference. The delegates would return to Germany, the despatch said.

JUGO-SLAVS RESENT DELAY BY ENTENTE

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statements made in the British Parliament, that negotiations again are on foot between England, France and Italy regarding the fulfillment of the pact of London. After meeting a signal rebuff at the conference, Italy is trying the policy which upset Sonnino. Tittoni thinks that perhaps he can blackmail more successfully than his predecessor and would like to place America before the accomplished fact of the realization of the London pact.

Italy's attitude doesn't surprise us for her policy always has been one of intrigue, but we cannot understand why the other allies wish to revive that secret agreement against which President Wilson pronounced himself so strongly.

Italian officers have informed the Jugo-Slavs that D'Annunzio will arrive at Sebenico (seventy miles southeast of Trieste) November 23 as "liberator of Dalmatia and protector of Montenegro, which is groaning under the most barbarous slavery."

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ZARA TERRORIZED BY D'ANNUNZIO TROOPS

Plan to Occupy All Dalmatia Reported in Belgrade.

Belgrade, Nov. 22.—A semi-official statement just issued says: "D'Annunzio's troops are spreading terror in Zara. Those of the inhabitants not wearing the armistice of Italian colors inscribed 'Italy or Death' are insulted and attacked. The Jugo-Slavs are unprotected and have taken refuge in the houses."

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SPANISH MINISTRY ACCUSED OF GRAFT

Turmoil in Cortes When Charge Is Made.

MADRID, Nov. 21 (delayed).—What had been an uninteresting session of the Cortes was suddenly turned into one of the most exciting in the recent history of the Spanish Parliament by the introduction to-day by Senor Muga, Deputy for Valencia, of a question on the exportation of rice.

Senor Muga was engaged in a criticism of the Government's action in permitting exportation of a limited quantity of rice, when Senor Mestre, another Deputy from Valencia, interrupted with "that was good business for the Ministry." Count San Julia, the Food Minister, with a shrug of his shoulders, quietly remarked: "If you maintain that phrase you are not a gentleman."

Senor Mestre being refused permission to reply by the President of the Chamber, rushed toward the Food Minister, but was intercepted by a Deputy. He was struck on the shoulder, the floor was soon filled with Deputies, and during the uproar that followed the President, who had broken several balls in an attempt to restore order, declared the session adjourned.

ECLIPSE SEEN AT ISTHMI.

Darkness Compels Lighting of Panama Canal.

ANCON, Panama, Nov. 22.—The annular eclipse of the sun was distinctly visible here. It was about three-fifths complete. The darkness was sufficient to make necessary turning on of the automatic lights along the canal.

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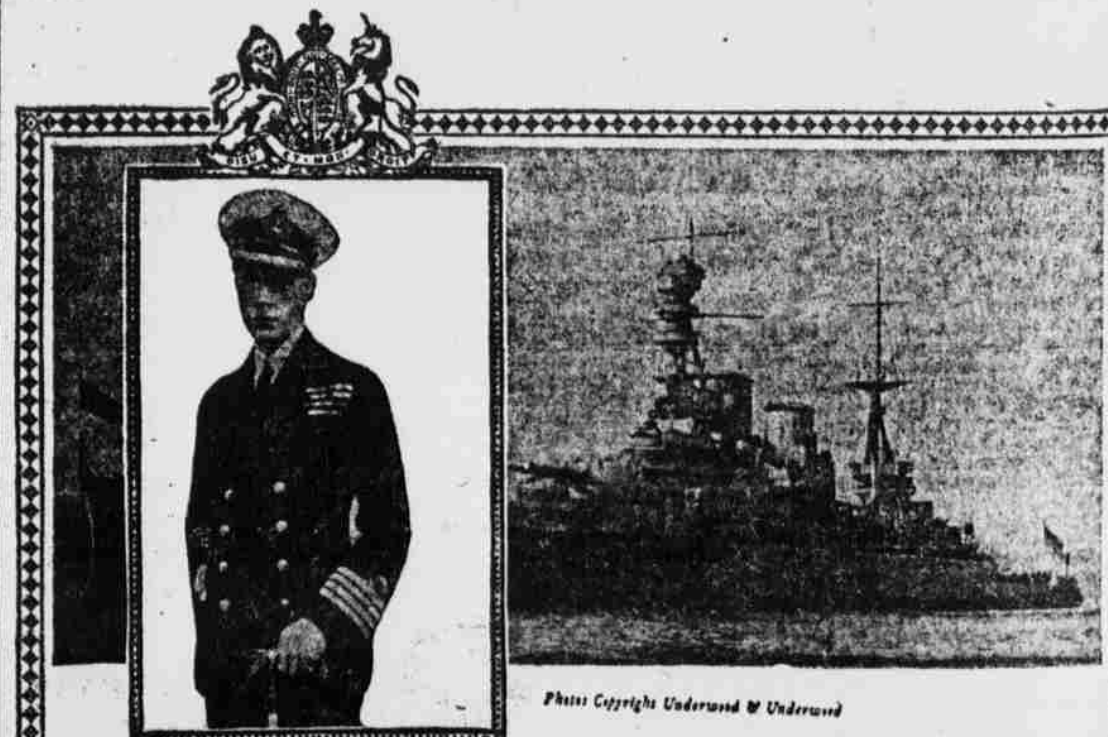
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